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Mr. William T. McDonald
Director, Executive Conference Program
The Brookings Institution
132 Jackson Place, N. W.
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Dear Mr. McDonald:

In his letter of 3 October 1957 to the Director of Central Intelligence, President Calkins invited this Agency to nominate an official to attend the first Brookings Conference, to be held from 1 to 13 December 1957 in Williamsburg, Virginia.

I wish to nominate [REDACTED], who is presently assigned as Deputy Director of [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] is a career official, grade GS-15, who has had almost twelve years of Government experience, in the Department of State and in this Agency. In addition to a varied and substantial employment background, he has participated successfully in the work of a number of intra- and interagency committees and task forces, including particularly the Wilson Committee and the White House Task Force on Foreign Affairs. He is an honor graduate of the University of North Carolina, is forty-four years of age, and is married.

I am confident that [REDACTED] is well qualified to participate constructively in the conference discussions, and that the experience will be to his and the Agency's benefit. If you desire any further information, he will welcome an opportunity to talk with you at your convenience.

Sincerely,

/s/

D. E. White
Deputy Director

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